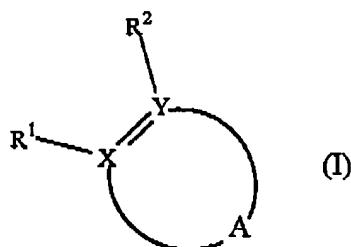


This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A compound of Formula (I)



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof

wherein

R¹ is H, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>haloalkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkoxy, C<sub>1-6</sub>thioalkyl, cyano, halo, C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, C<sub>2-6</sub>alkenyl or C<sub>3-6</sub>alkynyl;

R² is C(D)NR³R⁴, D'-D''(R³)(R⁴) or CH<sub>2</sub>N R³R⁴

D' is CH<sub>2</sub> or a bond;

D'' is C, C-OH or CH

wherein

said C is attached to R³ by a single or double bond;

said C is attached to R⁴ by a single or double bond;

provided that

C is not attached to both R³ and R⁴ by double bonds;

said CH is attached to R³ and R⁴ by single bonds;

said C of C-OH is attached to R³ and R⁴ by single bonds;

D is O or S;

R³ and R⁴ are each independently selected from the group consisting of H, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>haloalkyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>hydroxyalkyl, -C<sub>1-4</sub>alkylene-O-C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, -C<sub>1-3</sub>alkylene-C<sub>1-6</sub>thioalkyl, -C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylidene-(C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy)<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, C<sub>2-6</sub>alkenyl, C<sub>3-6</sub>alkynyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-CN, -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-heterocyclo and -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-aryl;

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wherein said aryl of said -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-aryl is optionally substituted with one to three of the same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of fluoro, chloro, bromo, cyano, nitro, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl and C<sub>1-3</sub>alkoxy;

or

R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> together with the nitrogen to which they are attached form a five or six-membered heterocycle,

said heterocycle optionally containing one additional heteroatom selected from the group consisting of N, S and O; and

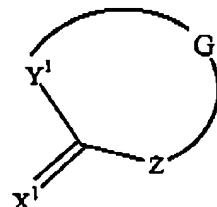
said heterocycle optionally substituted with one or more groups selected from the group consisting of C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkoxy, aryl, -C<sub>1-4</sub>alkylene-aryl, pyridyl and halogen;

wherein said aryl of said -C<sub>1-4</sub>alkylene-aryl is optionally substituted with one to three of the same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of fluoro, chloro, bromo, cyano, nitro and C<sub>1-3</sub>alkoxy;

X is C;

Y is C;

A is



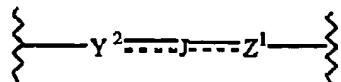
wherein

X¹ is N and is attached to X;

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$Y^1$  is N and is attached to Y;

G is



wherein

$Y^2$  is CE<sup>1</sup> and is attached to  $Y^1$ ;

J is a bond;

$Z^1$  is CE<sup>3</sup> and is attached to Z;

wherein

$E^1$  and  $E^3$  together form  $\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_3$ , N-CH=CH-CH=,

optionally substituted with halogen, -CN,  
 $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl,  $C_3\text{-}C_6$ cycloalkyl, substituted or  
 unsubstituted phenyl, hydroxy,  $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkoxy, SH,  
 $C_1\text{-}C_4$ thioalkyl, NH<sub>2</sub>, NH( $C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl) or  
 $N(C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl)<sub>2</sub>;

Z is N-V, wherein V is phenyl, 2-pyridyl or 3-pyridyl substituted with two to three of the same or different substituents substituents selected from the group consisting of  $C_1\text{-}4$ alkyl,  $C_1\text{-}4$ alkoxy,  $C_1\text{-}6$ thioalkyl,  $C_1\text{-}4$ haloalkyl, halogen,  $N(C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl)<sub>2</sub> and CN.

2. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein V is phenyl or 3-pyridyl and is substituted with two to three of the same or different substituents substituents selected from the group consisting of  $C_1\text{-}4$ alkyl,  $C_1\text{-}4$ alkoxy,  $C_1\text{-}6$ thioalkyl,  $C_1\text{-}4$ haloalkyl, halogen,  $N(C_1\text{-}C_4$ alkyl)<sub>2</sub> and CN; said substituents attached at the 2, 4 or 6-positions of said phenyl or said 3-pyridyl.

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3. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein V is 2-pyridyl and is substituted with two of the same or different substituents substituents selected from the group consisting of C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy, C<sub>1-6</sub>thioalkyl, C<sub>1-4</sub>haloalkyl, halogen, N(C<sub>1-C<sub>4</sub></sub>alkyl)<sub>2</sub> and CN; said substituents attached at the 3 and 5-positions of said 2-pyridyl.
4. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>1</sup> is C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl or C<sub>1-6</sub>haloalkyl.
5. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>1</sup> is methyl or trifluoromethyl.
6. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is C(D)NR<sup>3</sup>R<sup>4</sup> and D is O.
7. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is CH<sub>2</sub>N R<sup>3</sup>R<sup>4</sup>.
8. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is D'- D''(R<sup>3</sup>)(R<sup>4</sup>), D is a bond and D'' is C-OH.
9. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is D'- D''(R<sup>3</sup>)(R<sup>4</sup>), D is a bond and D'' is C or CH.
10. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> are each independently selected from the group consisting of H, C<sub>1-6</sub>alkyl, C<sub>1-6</sub>haloalkyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>hydroxyalkyl, -C<sub>1-4</sub>alkylene-O-C<sub>1-4</sub>alkyl, -C<sub>1-3</sub>alkylene-C<sub>1-6</sub>thioalkyl, -C<sub>2-6</sub>alkylidene-(C<sub>1-4</sub>alkoxy)<sub>2</sub>, C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-C<sub>3-7</sub>cycloalkyl, C<sub>2-6</sub>alkenyl, C<sub>3-6</sub>alkynyl and -C<sub>1-6</sub>alkylene-CN.
11. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>3</sup> and R<sup>4</sup> together with the nitrogen to which they are attached form a five or six-membered heterocycle.
12. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein V is 2, 4, 6-trimethylphenyl.
13. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein V is 2,4-dichlorophenyl.

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14. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein E<sup>1</sup> and E<sup>3</sup> together form N(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> =N-CH=CH-CH= optionally substituted with halogen, methoxy, methyl or nitrile.

15. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is CH<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>3</sup>R<sup>4</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> is ethyl or propyl, R<sup>4</sup> is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>-phenyl, E<sup>1</sup> and E<sup>3</sup> together form N(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> =N-CH=CH-CH= optionally substituted with halogen, methoxy, methyl or nitrile.

16. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1 wherein R<sup>2</sup> is CH<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>3</sup>R<sup>4</sup>, R<sup>3</sup> is ethyl or propyl, R<sup>4</sup> is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>-phenyl, E<sup>1</sup> and E<sup>3</sup> together form N(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> =N-CH=CH-CH= optionally substituted with halogen.

17. (Currently Amended) A compound or pharmaceutically acceptable salt of solvate thereof selected from the group consisting of

Ethyl-[2-methyl-8-(2,4,6-trimethyl-phenyl)-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[ $\square$ ]inden-3-ylmethyl]-phenethyl-amine;

Cyclobutylmethyl-[2-methyl-8-(2,4,6-trimethyl-phenyl)-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[ $\square$ ]inden-3-ylmethyl]-propyl-amine;

[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]-phenethyl-propyl-amine;

[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[ $\square$ ]inden-3-ylmethyl]-cyclobutylmethyl-propyl-amine;

[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]-ethyl-phenethyl-amine;

8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-3-(3-phenyl-pyrrolidin-1-ylmethyl)-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[ $\square$ ]indene;

Cyclopropylmethyl-propyl-[2-trifluoromethyl-8-(2,4,6-trimethyl-phenyl)-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]-amine;

Phenethyl-[2-trifluoromethyl-8-(2,4,6-trimethyl-phenyl)-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]- (3,3,3-trifluoro-propyl)-amine;

[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]-phenethyl-propyl-amine;

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[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]-ethyl-phenethyl-amine; and

[8-(2-Chloro-4,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-2-methyl-8H-1,3a,7,8-tetraaza-cyclopenta[a]inden-3-ylmethyl]- (2-methoxy-1-methoxymethyl-ethyl)-amine.